

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department - Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development) (Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of Ranga Reddy District - Committed certain irregularities in payment of huge advances to contractors / VLCs - Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 of AP Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 read with rule of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980- Article of Charges - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1474,

Dated: 20 .09.2013.

Read the following :

1. From the Commissioner, PR&RE, A.P. Hyderabad.,
Lr. No .2699/CPR&RE/A2/2012, Dated: 11.06.2013.
2. G.O.Ms.No.417, PR&RD Dept., dated: 20 .09.2013.

ORDER:-

In pursuance of the sanction accorded by the Government under Sub-Clause (b) of sub-rule (2) of Rule 9 of the AP. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 for instituting departmental proceedings against Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development) (Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of Ranga Reddy District vide G.O.Ms.No.417, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, dated: 20.09.2013. It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development) (Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of Ranga Reddy District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the AP Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A statement of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of article of charge is enclosed as Annexure-II.

3. Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development) (Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of Ranga Reddy District, is directed to submit his written statement of defence within ten (10) days from the receipt of this memo.

4. Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development) (Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of Ranga Reddy District is further informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

[PTO]

::2::

5. Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development) (Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of Ranga Reddy District is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para (3) above or otherwise fails to comply with provisions of rule 20 of AP Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, or orders issued in pursuance of the said rules, the inquiry authority may hold the inquiry against him exparte.

6. The receipt of the G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V.NAGI REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To

Sri B.Chennanna, E.O., (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development)
(Retired)/FAC, Mandal Praja Parishad, Tandur of
Ranga Reddy District through Commissioner,
Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment,
Hyderabad [with a request to serve the AOCs and
furnish the date of acknowledgement for record].

Copy to:

The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad,
Ranga Reddy District.
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED BY :: ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

Annexure-I

Statement of articles of charges framed against Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD) /MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R. District.

Article-1:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has given advance to a tune of Rs.80,09,863/- from BRGF funds. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District and found that Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has given advances to a tune of Rs.80,09,863/- to the Contractors / VLCs during his tenure as MPDO 2008-10.

Article-2:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has been drawn Rs.15,22,750/- towards hire charges of private vehicles. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 at MPP Tandur R.R. District found that an amount of Rs.15,22,750/- has been drawn from the General Funds, BRGF and NREGS funds towards hire charges of private vehicles engaged from 01.01.2005 during the tenure of Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District . Among which an amount of Rs.2,63,170/- is admissible under the instructions given in the Government Orders.

- 1.G.O.Rt.No.1599 PR&RD (Progress-IV) Dept. dt:04.11.2003.
2. Govt., Circular Memo No.1320/659/A2/W&M/2007, F(W&M) Dept.,
- 3.G.O.Ms.No.143, PR&RD (E.VII-2) Dept., dated:08.05.2009.
- 4.Govt.Memo.No.15966/RD-II/A1/2009-1, PR&RD(RD-II)Dept., dt:19.8.2009
5. Govt.Memo.No.1740/EGS/(P)/2009, Dt:09.02.2010.
6. Dist Collector, R.R. District Proc.No.A1/542/2010, dt:27.04.2010.

Article-3:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has drawn and paid Rs./- 30,34,068/- towards payment of pump sets. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 at MPP Tandur R.R. District has been found that an amount of Rs.30,34,068/- has been drawn and paid to the contractors periodically instead of ordering to firms towards purchase and supply of pumpsets and vouchers also not found during the inquiry.

[PTO]

Article-4:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has made huge expenditure during the visits of VIPs. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 at MPP Tandur R.R. District it is found that huge expenditure is incurred during the visits of VIPs, where as permissible limit is on Rs.5,000/-.

Article-5:

Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has drawn and paid Rs./- 16,43,000/- towards repairs to Guest House. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 and found that Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has drawn Rs.16,43,000/- commencing from 01.12.2008 from BRGF to which an amount of Rs.8,00,000/- only sanctioned and released by the Zilla Parishad General Fund. The entire amount has been drawn by the MPDO in the name of different persons and attenders when asked to produce the expenditure particulars no estimate, agreement and vouchers have been presented during the enquiry.

Article-6:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has diverted an amount of Rs.9,58,464/- from BRGF for execution of Mandal General Funds works. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 and found that Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has drawn and paid an amount of Rs.9,58,464/- from BRGF for execution of Works unde Mandal General Funds.

Article-7:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has drawn and paid an amount of Rs.4,21,181/-. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 and found that Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has misused an amount of Rs.4,21,181/- from BRGF to other purposes.

[Contd...3]

::3::

Article-8:

That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District misappropriated an amount of Rs.1,01,000/- from BRGF funds. Thus he violated the Rule 3 (1) of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

Basis of the Charge:-

As per Preliminary Inquiry conducted by the then Dy.CEO (FAC), ZPP R.R. District on 08.09.2010 and found that That Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District has misused an amount of Rs.1,01,000/- from the BRGF as per reconciliation of Cash Book with Bank Statement it is observed that the following (2) payments have not been entered in the Cash Book.

Cheque No.	Date	Amount	Drawn by
854384	05.04.2009	51,000.00	Md.Nazeer
854385	16.11.2009	50,000.00	J.Nagaiah

(V.NAGI REDDY)
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

//FORWARDED BY :: ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-II

List of documents by which the articles of charges framed against Sri B.Chennanna, Retired E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP Tandur, R.R District

1. Press clipping in different news papers Dt:5.9.2010.
2. Preliminary Inquiry report of the then Dy.CEO (FAC) ZPP, RR Dist., dt:8.9.2010.
3. Representation of Congress Party Member of Tandur Dt:8.9.2010.
4. Representation of MPTCs and ZPTC of Tandur dt:7.9.2010.

ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST AGAINST SRI B.CHENNANNA, RETIRED E.O. (PR&RD)/ MPDO (FAC) MPP TANDUR, R.R DISTRICT (NOW RETD).

NIL

(V.NAGI REDDY)
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

//FORWARDED BY :: ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER